· XI. And be it enacted, That the person or persons appointed to collect any CHAP. tax imposed in virtue of the powers granted by this act, shall have authority to LXVIII. collect the same by distress and sale of the goods and chattels of the person collected by chargeable therewith, but no sale shall be made, unless ten days previous notice distress, &c. thereof be given, and if the tax imposed shall be chargeable on any real property, and no goods or chattels can be found liable to be distressed therefor, the same may be recovered by action of debt, or attachment, in Baltimore county court, in which no imparlance shall be allowed.

XII. And he it enafted, That all and singular the powers granted to the said Powers to excorporation shall be and are hereby declared to extend to Deep Point, and to all Point, &c. wharfs and other grounds heretofore made and extended into the bason of Baltimore-town, or which shall hereafter be made or extended into the same, which shall be considered and taken as part of the said city; and the said corporation may provide for the exercise of such powers, in the same manner as if the said wharfs and reclaimed lands were originally condemned as part of the faid town.

XIII. and be it enacted, That an act of assembly, passed at November session, Act declared seventeen hundred and eighty-four, entitled, An act for the establishment and perpetual, &c. regulation of a night watch, and the erection of lamps, in Baltimore-town, in Baltimore county, shall be and is hereby enacted and declared to be a perpetual law, subject nevertheless to such alterations, amendments and revisions, as may hereafter be enacted and ordained by the corporation aforesaid, or the legislature of this state.

XIV, and, whereas the committee of health of Baltimore have incurred a debt of two thousand two hundred dollars in the execution of the trust reposed in them, Be it enacted, That the corporation aforesaid shall assess and levy, on Corporation to assess mothe affessable property of said city, the amount of the expenditures of the said ney, &c. committee of health for and during the year seventeen hundred and ninety-six, to be collected in the same manner as the county levy is by law directed to be collected, and to be applied as aforesaid.

XV. This act to continue in force until the first day of September, seventeen Duration. hundred and ninety-eight, and the end of the next session of assembly which Thall happen thereafter.

C H A P. LXIX.

An ACT to lay out and establish a turnpike road from the city Passed December 31. of Washington to Baltimore-town.

Eit enacted, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That a subscription be A subscription to be on to be opened for a capital of one hundred and sixty thousand dollars, in shares opened, &c. of two hundred dollars each, and that Gustavus Scott, Tobias Lear, Notley Young, William Deakins, junior, and Marsham Waring, be and they are hereby appointed managers for taking subscriptions for three hundred shares at the city of Washington; and that Henry Nicholls, James Carroll, John O'Donnell, Richard Caton and William Lorman, be and they are hereby appointed for taking subscriptions for three hundred shares at Baltimore-town; and that John Davidson, Philip B. Key, James Williams, John Muir and James Mackubin, be and they are hereby appointed for taking subscriptions for two hundred shares at the city of Annapolis; and the said subscriptions shall be opened on the second Monday in April next, of which six weeks previous and successive notice shall be given in the Baltimore-town, George-town, Easton and Annapolis papers; and the subscription books shall be continued open until the capital aforesaid shall be subscribed, and on the completion thereof, a just and true list of all the subscribers, with the shares subscribed by each, shall be made out and returned by the said managers, under their hands, to the clerks of Baltimore, Anne-Arundel, and Prince-George's county courts, who are hereby severally authorised and directed to record the same among the land records of their respective counties, and an attested copy of such record, under the hand of